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Appendix A - Estimated employment and origin of seasonal hired agricultural workers,
by State and selected agricultural reporting area 1/
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Region, State and agricultural reporting area	Total	U. S. Workers					Foreign			
		Total U. S. workers	Local	Intra- state	Inter- state	Puerto Rican	Total foreign	Mexican	BWI	Canadian & others
<u>U. S. Total</u>	720,421	578,563	462,984	72,748	39,592	3,739	141,858	129,804	10,565	1,489
<u>Eastern Seaboard</u>	109,431	98,949	81,933	2,683	10,594	3,739	10,482	0	10,473	9
<u>Connecticut</u>	4,280	3,770	3,570	0	0	200	510	0	510	0
Tobacco Valley	4,280	3,770	3,570	0	0	200	510	0	510	0
<u>Florida</u>	55,376	46,096	37,101	1,960	5,235	1,800	9,280	0	9,280	0
Lake Okeechobee	21,066	15,799	10,893	810	3,246	850	5,267	0	5,267	0
Central Ridge	17,774	14,767	13,551	262	829	125	3,007	0	3,007	0
Tampa Bay	5,261	4,671	4,321	0	250	100	590	0	590	0
Other areas	11,275	10,859	8,336	888	910	725	416	0	416	0
<u>Georgia</u>	3,360	3,360	3,360	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<u>Massachusetts</u>	4,411	4,340	4,090	0	2	248	71	0	62	9
<u>New Jersey</u>	3,628	3,391	2,120	15	355	901	237	0	237	0
<u>New York</u>	5,115	4,900	1,005	350	3,175	370	215	0	215	0
<u>North Carolina</u>	23,775	23,775	22,372	208	1,195	0	0	0	0	0
Greenville	600	600	600	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mount Olive	9,500	9,500	9,200	100	200	0	0	0	0	0
Washington	3,600	3,600	3,475	25	100	0	0	0	0	0
Other areas	10,075	10,075	9,097	83	895	0	0	0	0	0

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<u>Pennsylvania</u>	5,587	5,587	4,822	150	395	220	0	0	0	0
Central	802	802	772	0	25	5	0	0	0	0
Other areas	4,785	4,785	4,050	150	370	215	0	0	0	0
<u>South Carolina</u>	1,400	1,400	1,400	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<u>Virginia</u>	2,499	2,330	2,093	0	237	0	169	0	169	0
<u>North Central</u>	30,091	30,051	27,322	1,221	1,508	0	40	20	20	-
<u>Indiana</u>	201	201	0	0	201	0	0	0	0	0
<u>Iowa</u>	4,210	4,210	4,110	0	100	0	0	0	0	0
<u>Kansas</u>	7,500	7,498	6,798	600	100	0	2	2	0	0
Irrigated Malticrop	800	800	800	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Plains	5,700	5,700	5,000	600	100	0	0	0	0	0
Other areas	1,000	998	998	0	0	0	2	2	0	0
<u>Michigan</u>	7,050	7,030	5,600	520	910	0	20	0	20	0
Bay City	1,500	1,500	1,200	100	200	0	0	0	0	0
Benton Harbor	1,500	1,500	1,100	100	300	0	0	0	0	0
Lansing	400	400	300	50	50	0	0	0	0	0
Manistee	1,475	1,475	1,000	150	325	0	0	0	0	0
Muskegon	875	875	800	75	0	0	0	0	0	0
Traverse City	100	100	100	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other areas	1,200	1,180	1,100	45	35	0	20	0	20	0
<u>Minnesota</u>	880	880	833	34	13	0	0	0	0	0

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<u>Missouri</u> Bootheel	8,550 <u>8,550</u>	8,550 <u>8,550</u>	8,500 <u>8,500</u>	0 <u>0</u>	50 <u>50</u>	0 <u>0</u>	0 <u>0</u>	0 <u>0</u>	0 <u>0</u>	0 <u>0</u>
<u>Nebraska</u> Sugar Beet and Vegetable Other areas	1,621 281 1,340	<u>1,621</u> 281 1,340	<u>1,420</u> 160 1,260	<u>67</u> 8 59	<u>134</u> 113 21	<u>0</u> 0 0	<u>0</u> 0 0	<u>0</u> 0 0	<u>0</u> 0 0	<u>0</u> 0 0
<u>Wisconsin</u> East Central	79 <u>79</u>	61 <u>61</u>	61 <u>61</u>	0 <u>0</u>	0 <u>0</u>	0 <u>0</u>	18 <u>18</u>	18 <u>18</u>	0 <u>0</u>	0 <u>0</u>
<u>South Central</u>	414,425	325,518	252,059	55,268	18,191	0	88,907	88,835	72	0
<u>Alabama</u>	<u>10,795</u>	<u>10,795</u>	<u>10,795</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<u>Arkansas</u> Central Miss. R. Delta Cotton St. Frances- Cache R. Cotton Upper Miss. R. Delta Cotton Other areas <u>Kentucky</u>	<u>59,091</u> 5,825 16,350 23,225 13,691 500	<u>48,516</u> 5,525 11,650 17,650 13,691 500	<u>47,641</u> 5,500 11,400 17,050 13,691 500	<u>150</u> 0 0 150 0 0	<u>725</u> 25 250 450 0 0	<u>0</u> 0 0 0 0 0	<u>10,575</u> 300 4,700 5,575 0 0	<u>10,575</u> 300 4,700 5,575 0 0	<u>0</u> 0 0 0 0 0	<u>0</u> 0 0 0 0 0
<u>Louisiana</u> Delta Cotton Other areas	26,250 7,075 19,175	<u>26,250</u> 7,075 19,175	<u>25,360</u> 7,075 18,285	<u>305</u> 0 305	<u>585</u> 0 585	<u>0</u> 0 0	<u>0</u> 0 0	<u>0</u> 0 0	<u>0</u> 0 0	<u>0</u> 0 0

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<u>Mississippi</u>	<u>17,122</u>	<u>17,122</u>	<u>16,721</u>	<u>263</u>	<u>138</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Delta	14,173	14,173	14,166	7	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hill Supply	2,410	2,410	2,410	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other areas	539	539	145	256	138	0	0	0	0	0
<u>Oklahoma</u>	<u>31,840</u>	<u>31,840</u>	<u>18,235</u>	<u>3,260</u>	<u>10,345</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Southwestern	16,975	16,975	4,025	2,900	10,050	0	0	0	0	0
Other areas	14,865	14,865	14,210	360	295	0	0	0	0	0
<u>Tennessee</u>	<u>26,157</u>	<u>25,894</u>	<u>25,536</u>	<u>35</u>	<u>323</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>263</u>	<u>263</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Northwest	10,963	10,963	10,715	35	213	0	0	0	0	0
Southwest	8,740	8,740	8,740	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<u>Texas</u>	<u>242,670</u>	<u>164,601</u>	<u>107,271</u>	<u>51,255</u>	<u>6,075</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>78,069</u>	<u>77,997</u>	<u>72</u>	<u>0</u>
Central Texas	5,025	4,985	4,740	245	0	0	40	40	0	0
Coastal Bend	2,025	2,005	2,005	0	0	0	20	20	0	0
Cross Timbers	2,955	2,943	2,668	275	0	0	12	12	0	0
East Texas	5,695	5,302	5,302	0	0	0	393	393	0	0
Edwards Plateau	51,435	25,922	15,902	10,020	0	0	25,513	25,470	43	0
High Rolling Plains	93,665	73,005	27,965	39,965	5,075	0	20,660	20,660	0	0
Llano-Coastal	4,040	3,762	3,762	0	0	0	278	271	7	0
Lower Rio Grande Valley	32,490	24,315	24,315	0	0	0	8,175	8,175	0	0
Northern Panhandle	7,090	6,682	4,932	750	1,000	0	408	405	3	0
Pine Belt	170	170	170	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rio Grande Plains	16,980	13,840	13,840	0	0	0	3,140	3,123	17	0
Trans-Pecos	20,480	1,050	1,050	0	0	0	19,430	19,428	2	0
Upper Coastal	620	620	620	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

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<u>Western</u>	166,474	124,045	101,670	13,076	9,299	0	42,429	40,949	0	1,480
<u>Arizona</u>	25,657	15,175	11,390	1,095	2,690	0	10,482	10,482	0	0
Cochise	696	595	300	195	100	0	101	101	0	0
Maricopa	15,546	8,603	6,653	450	1,500	0	6,943	6,943	0	0
Yuma	4,300	1,000	725	25	250	0	3,300	3,300	0	0
Other areas	5,115	4,977	3,712	425	840	0	138	138	0	0
<u>California</u>	123,900	98,200	81,950	10,950	5,300	0	25,700	24,220	0	1,480
Central Coast	12,400	8,400	5,900	1,600	900	0	4,000	3,930	0	70
Desert	14,600	4,600	3,600	600	400	0	10,000	9,840	0	160
North Coast	1,400	1,400	1,000	300	100	0	0	0	0	0
Sacramento Valley	9,400	8,850	6,100	2,100	650	0	550	550	0	0
San Joaquin Valley	59,800	58,350	50,600	5,550	2,200	0	1,450	1,450	0	0
South Coast	26,300	16,600	14,750	800	1,050	0	9,700	8,450	0	1,250
<u>Colorado</u>	1,808	1,808	1,588	75	145	0	0	0	0	0
Northern Colorado	1,120	1,120	925	75	120	0	0	0	0	0
Other areas	688	688	663	0	25	0	0	0	0	0
<u>Montana</u>	1,545	1,545	1,019	286	240	0	0	0	0	0
Southern Sugar Beet	400	400	300	60	40	0	0	0	0	0
Other areas	1,145	1,145	719	226	200	0	0	0	0	0
<u>Nevada</u>	132	129	72	0	57	0	3	3	0	0
<u>New Mexico</u>	8,420	2,176	1,567	319	290	0	6,244	6,244	0	0
Artesia	333	40	40	0	0	0	293	293	0	0
Carlsbad	925	220	220	0	0	0	705	705	0	0
Las Cruces	3,232	404	274	10	120	0	2,828	2,828	0	0
Middle Rio Grande	81	40	15	20	5	0	41	41	0	0
Roswell	1,235	351	351	0	0	0	884	884	0	0
Other areas	2,614	1,121	667	289	165	0	1,493	1,493	0	0

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<u>Oregon</u>	1,405	1,405	1,320	35	50	0	0	0	0	0
Williamette Valley	1,405	1,405	1,320	35	50	0	0	0	0	0
<u>Washington</u>	3,607	3,607	2,764	316	527	0	0	0	0	0
North Central	470	470	470	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
South Central	1,818	1,818	1,490	173	155	0	0	0	0	0
Other areas	1,319	1,319	804	143	372	0	0	0	0	0

1/ Agricultural areas selected for inclusion are those areas in which a peak of at least 10,000 seasonal hired workers or 1,000 foreign workers was reached in 1960 as reported in In-Season Farm Labor Reports, ES-223. Data for each area satisfying these criteria are presented monthly in this appendix. However, areas are omitted during months for which they are not required to submit ES-223 reports. Such reports are not required for periods in which fewer than 500 seasonal hired farm workers are employed unless higher employment will be resumed after a "lay-by" period, foreign workers are employed, or specified shortages or surpluses of seasonal hired farm workers exist. Figures are preliminary and subject to revision.